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The fellowship at all times must be used for purposes of serious study, and the fellow should be as free as possible from other responsibilities.

Applications for the year beginning September 15, 1918, should be made under the above heads, and must be in the hands of the secretary of the committee, Mrs. Charles S. Hinchman, 3635 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on or before April 1, 1918.

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AN AMERICAN HOSPITAL IN LONDON

THE United States Ambassador, who was accompanied by Mrs. Page, recently opened St. Katherine's Lodge, Regent's Park, as a hospital for American and British officers.

The house, in the Outer Circle, Regent's Park, with grounds of about four acres, has been equipped for about 40 patients by Mr. and Mrs. William Salomon, of New York, owners of the lease, who will maintain it for the duration of the war. It is controlled by the London Chapter of the American Red Cross, and is the first American Red Cross Hospital established in Europe. It is fitted

to accommodate orthopædic cases. The United States War Department recruited 20 of the most prominent orthopædic surgeons in the United States and sent them to England under the command of Major Goldthwait, of Boston. Two of these surgeons, who are attached to the Shepherd's Bush Military Orthopædic Hospital, Captain F. Kidner, of Detroit, and Captain de Forrest Willard, of Philadelphia, have been chosen as the nucleus of the medical unit at St. Katherine's Lodge, under the general supervision of Colonel Sir Robert Jones. It is hoped that both British and American officers will be treated at the hospital throughout the war. The nursing staff will be American.

For work other than orthopædic the following London physicians and surgeons have offered their services on the staff.

Colonel Donald Armour, Dr. A. P. Beddard, Sir James Mackenzie Davidson, Dr. H. J. Banks Davis, Dr. Guy Leroy Gillett, Captain Charles T. W. Hirsch, Mr. Herbert Parsons, Mr. F. J. Pearce, Dr. George Pernet, Dr. Hugh R. Phillips, Surgeon-General Sir G. H. Makins and Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh M. Rigby.

The following are members of a committee of control:

Viscountess Harcourt, Mrs. Walter Hines Page, Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, Mrs. L. P. Sheldon, Mrs. William Salomon, Mrs. L. P. Sheldon, Mr. William Salomon, Colonel Sir Walter Lawrence (representing the British War Office) and Mr. L. P. Sheldon (chairman).

Among others present yesterday were Sir A. Keogh, Surgeon-General Sir G. H. Makins, General Nassiter, and Commander Badcock (representing Admiral Sims).

Mr. Page said he had to acknowledge the great generosity of the donors and the successful work of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon and the American Red Cross. It was gratifying to find the work well started in London, and the organization already making itself useful. The hospital differed from others in that it would give orthopædic treatment to officers. He was told that 70 per cent. of cases yielded to the treatment which had been developed under the leadership of Sir Robert Jones.